

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Application

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Applicants: Tanuma et al.

Serial No.: 09/282,772

Filed: March 31, 1999

For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE
OPERATING IN A VERTICALLY ALIGNED
MODE OF LIQUID CRYSTAL MOLECULES

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July 11, 2002
Date

Registration No. 47,954
Attorney for Applicant

Art Unit: 2871

Examiner: Qi, Z.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	4	20	-0-	x \$18.00	= \$ -0-
Independent Claims	3	3	-0-	x \$84.00	= \$ -0-
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims				\$280.00	= \$ -0-
Total Additional Fee					\$ -0-
Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)					\$ -0-

(X) Amendment B, with Version with Markings to Show Changes.

(X) Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate), with a check in the amount of \$110.00.

() Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 07-2069.

(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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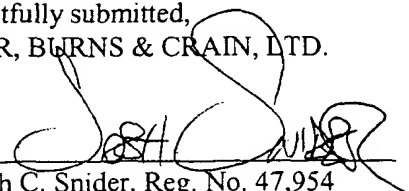
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Respectfully submitted,
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AMENDMENT B

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 11, 2002, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims 1 and 6: